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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

Supplemental to the Preliminary Amendment filed September 28, 2001, entry
and consideration of the following amendment and remarks are requested.

IN THE CLAIMS

Amend the claim as follows.

60. (Amended) A mononuclear phagocyte according to claim 51 wherein at
least one NOI encodes a pro-drug activation enzyme, preferably a p450 enzyme,
preferably a CYP2B6 p450 enzyme.